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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

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Sirs:

In response to the Office Action dated September 29, 2008, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

No fees, including extension of time fees, are believed necessary for consideration of the present paper. However, if any fees, including extension of time fees, are necessary, the extension of time is hereby requested, and the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees to Haynes and Boone, LLP's Deposit Account No. 08-1394.